

REMARKS

In the February 26, 2008 Office Action the Examiner entered a restriction requirement for the following inventions:


- I. Claims 1-11, drawn to an apparatus for transferring pipette tips, classified in class 422, subclass 99.
- II. Claims 12-17, drawn to an apparatus for transferring pipette tips, classified in class 422, subclass 104.
- III. Claims 18-20, drawn to a method for transferring pipette tips, classified in class 436, subclass 180.

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement, Applicants elect invention I, claims 1-11, without traverse, for further examination.

Should the Examiner wish to discuss any of the foregoing in greater detail, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the Examiner's convenience.

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